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ACTIVITY DETERMINATION

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RESPONSE PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.111 WITH REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is responsive to the Office Action mailed on June 16, 2003 setting a three-month term for reply.

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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(1), a one-month extension of time, from September 16, 2003, up to and including October 16, 2003 is respectfully requested. Enclosed herewith is a check in the amount \$55.00 in payment of the fee thereof. The Assistant Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fee, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.

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